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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case: 3:21-cr-20459  
Judge: Cleland, Robert H.  
MJ: Grand, David R.  
Filed: 07-14-2021  
INDI USA VS BANES (DP)

VIO: 18 U.S.C. § 111(a), (b)

ROWLAND TODD BANES,

Defendant.

INDICTMENT

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT ONE

18 U.S.C. § 111(a), (b)

*Assaulting a Federal Officer Using a Deadly or Dangerous Weapon*

On or about May 27, 2020, in the Eastern District of Michigan, the defendant, Rowland BANES, did, knowingly and intentionally, forcibly assault, resist, oppose, impede, intimidate, and interfere with J.H., a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, a person designated in Section 1114 of Title 18, United States Code, while J.H. was engaged in the performance of his official duties, and in doing so, BANES did use a deadly and dangerous weapon, to wit, a firearm; in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 111(a), (b).

**FORFEITURE ALLEGATIONS**  
18 U.S.C. § 924(d), 28 U.S.C. § 2461  
*Criminal Forfeiture*

The allegations contained in Count One of this Indictment are hereby incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture pursuant to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. § 924(d) together with 28 U.S.C. § 2461.

As a result of the foregoing violation, as charged in Count One of this Indictment, the defendant shall forfeit to the United States any firearm or ammunition involved in or used in his knowing violation of 18 U.S.C. § 111(a), (b).

THIS IS A TRUE BILL

s/ Grand Jury Foreperson  
GRAND JURY FOREPERSON

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Companion Case Information	Companion Case Number:
This may be a companion case based upon LCrR 57.10 (b)(4) <sup>1</sup> :	Judge Assigned:
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	AUSA's Initials: HSD

✓ Indictment/      Information --- **no prior complaint.**  
     Indictment/      Information --- based upon prior complaint [Case number:                     ]  
     Indictment/      Information --- based upon LCrR 57.10 (d) ***[Complete Superseding section below]***

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